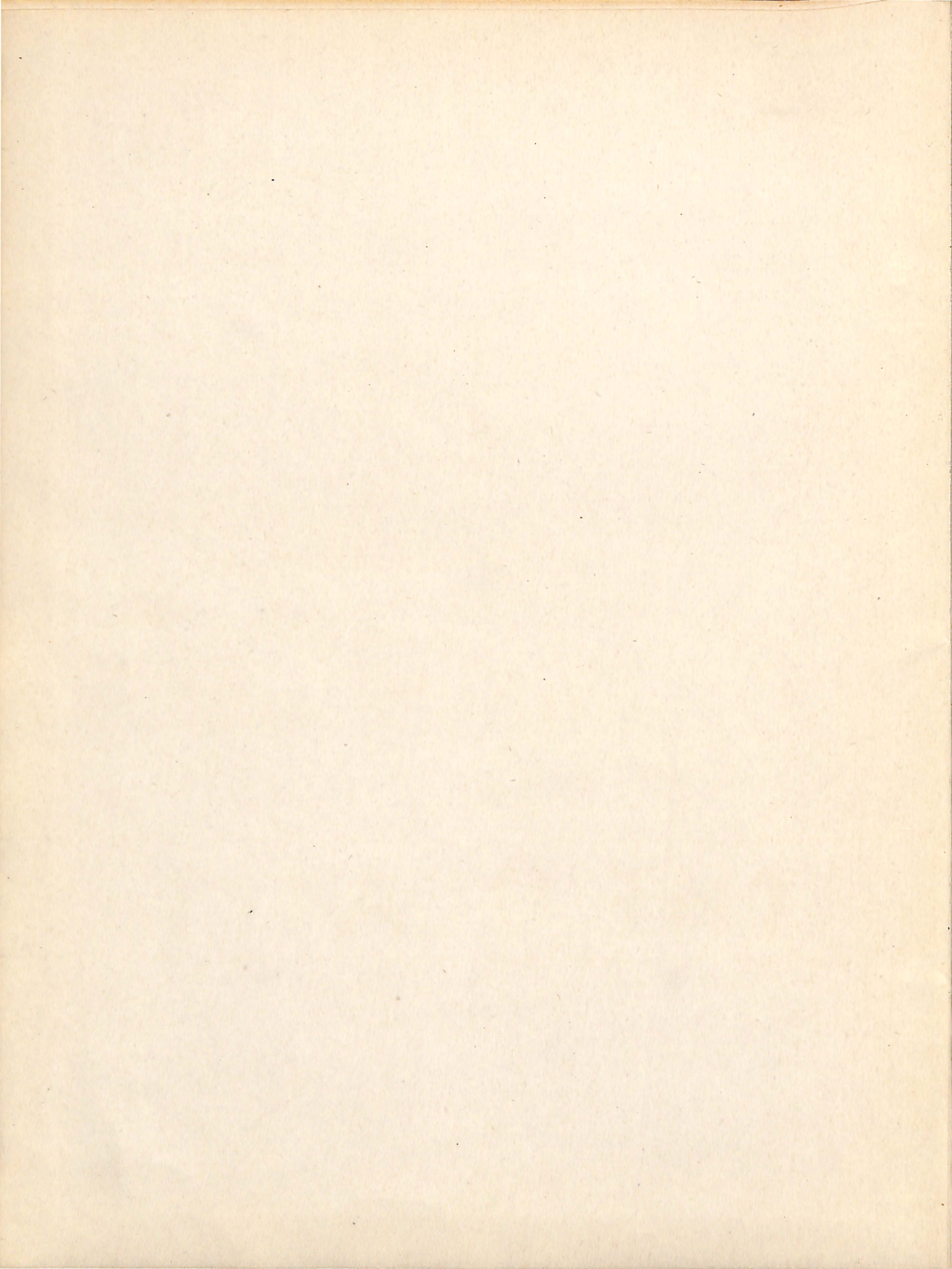
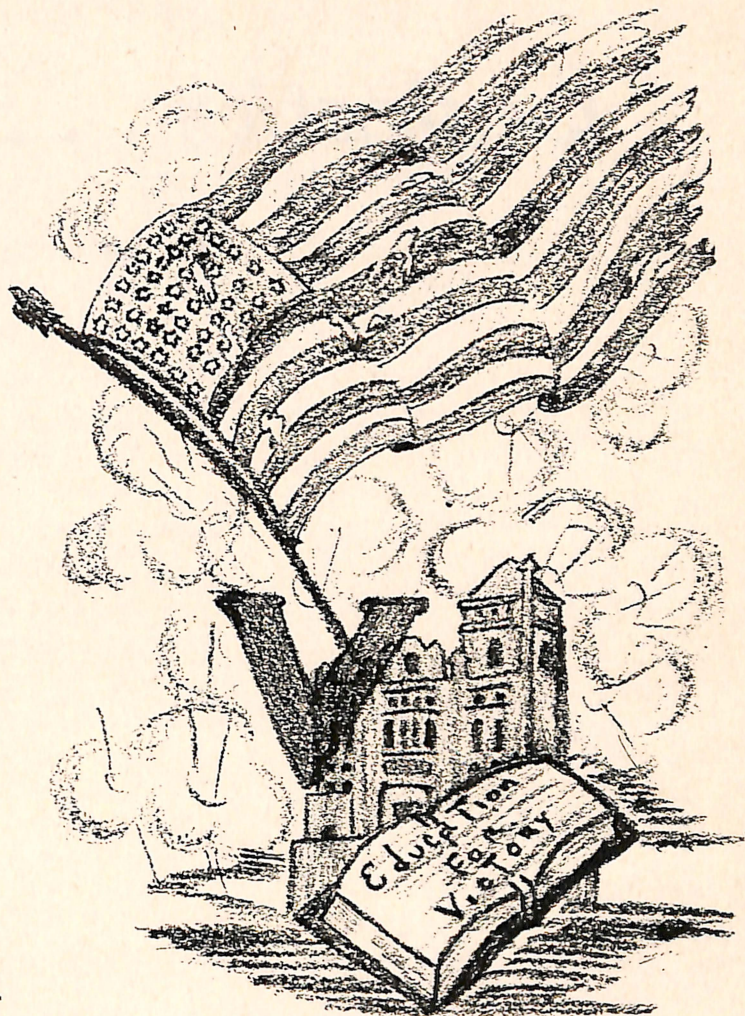


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# *Dedication . . . .*

We, the members of the class of 1944 of  
Vacaville Union High School, dedicate  
this issue of the Ulatis to our former class  
advisor, George A. Butler, now in the  
Medical Corps, and to the members  
of our class who are now serving  
their country in the Army,  
Navy, Coast Guard, Marine  
Corps, and the Maritime  
Service, instead of  
sharing graduation  
h o n o r s  
with  
us.

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SCHOOL







# Faculty

BOBLET

EHLING



HURLBUT

KILPATRICK



LEE

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MITCHELL

MUNDY



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NANCY CHANDLER  
MERCEDES CINTAS  
ROSE CINTAS

BETTIE CLINE  
ROSE MARIE CODINA  
ROBERT CRAMPTON  
JANE ELLASCES

CARMEN FERNANDEZ  
ARLENE FRANKLIN  
BETTY LEE HALL  
VIRGIE HARRIS

## *Seniors*





LOUISE HILDEN  
CHARLES HOOVER  
JOE LOPEZ  
GRETA NEIL

ALICE MARTINEZ  
LORRAINE MCCREADY  
CLARE MOWERS  
ERNA TERSHUREN

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BETTY PRICE  
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MABLE TURNER  
DON WILBURN  
ROBERT WILLIAMS  
WANDA PETROSS

## *Class of '44*



# Senior History

When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for a class to dissolve the bonds which have connected it with school, and to assume, among the peoples of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the laws of nature entitle them a decent respect to the opinions of their fellow students requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

We hold these truths to be self-evident: That when we were freshmen we participated in the Freshman-Sophomore Brawl in which we completely annihilated our miserable opponents; that we attended the Freshman Reception in honor of our entering high school; that we gave a return party to the sophomores which far outdid anything previously held in the school that when we were sophomores we gave a Sophomore Hop that surely proved our ability as entertainers; that when we were sophomores, due to circumstances which were far beyond our control, we had a change in class advisors from Mr. Prince to Mr. Butler.

That in our junior year we were again obliged to change our advisor from Mr. Butler to Mr. Mundy; that we purchased class rings during this year; that we gave a Junior Prom, for which we were fortunate enough to obtain the well-known Top Hatters, who provided the music, the Junior Prom being by all means the greatest event of our Junior year; that patriotism and economic necessity combined sent our class members out to the fields to pick tomatoes and to deposit into the class treasury the money so secured; that in the spring of our junior year, our class gave the senior class a dinner; and that we entertained those seniors with songs and dances; that we decorated the auditorium for graduation; and that the girls in the class ushered, gave out programs, and presented the members of the graduating class with memory books as a farewell gift; that a back-to-school dance began our senior year, which felt the effect of the war in the loss of several boys; that we suffered greatly from the lack of gasoline for trips; that the traditional senior plays, Senior Supper, Senior Sneak Day, and Senior Ball were held in spite of the war.

In every stage of these activities we have yearned for the termination of of scholastic jurisdiction over us and we have constantly appealed to the native justice and magnanimity of the faculty, who, after four years, have acquiesced in the necessity of our separation from them. We must, therefore, hold them, as we hold the rest of mankind, enemies during subjugtion, thereafter friends.

The history of this class is the history of repeated restraints by the faculty.

To prove this, let facts be submitted to a candid world:

They have subjected us to long periods of unwanted and monotonous detention.

They have combined together for depriving us, in many cases, of freedom of speech in their classes; for cutting off our precious supplies of gum, plundering our candy reserves, and destroying our funny books.

They have demanded that we spend hours in the drudgery of homework, which we have consistently refused to do.

We, therefore, members of the class of 1944, in final session, assembled, do solemnly pledge and declare that all connections between us and the high school are, and ought to be, totally dissolved. For the support of this declaration we mutually pledge our lives, our fortune, and our doubtful honor.



# *A Glance Into the Future*

On November 15, 1959, with the exclusive Mark Hopkins Hotel in San Francisco as the setting, the annual reunion of the Class of 1944 of Vacaville Union High School was held.

All arrangements for the celebration had been made by Robert Crampton, manager of the hotel. Mr. Crampton had done very well since his graduation from high school, his courteous manner and sparkling personality having won him a prominent place in San Francisco society.

The dinner was presided over by Mr. Crampton's gracious wife, the former Miss Beverly Bartell. The efficient service at the affair was under the supervision of Don Wilburn, waiter at the hotel and member of our own class.

Entertainment was provided by Charles Hoover and his Hoover Hot Shots, with Kay Groft on the vocals. Kay has gone far in this field.

The featured guest star at the hotel was Miss Esther Anderson, who favored us with her internationally-famed fan dance.

Cigars and cigarettes were sold during the evening by the charming and bewitchingly coquettish cigarette girl, Miss Nancy Jane Chandler, dressed in black tights. Nancy's lavish tips promise a rich future.

Bar was tended and drinks were expertly mixed by that capable woman of the world, Miss Louise Hilden. Louise is known everywhere for her famous drink "The Leaping Lou," which is similar to a Zombie, only more so. Beverages were so potent that the official hotel bouncer, Joe Lopez, was kept busy vainly trying to quiet the guests.

Mrs. Myron Karcher, the former Betty Price, was at the reunion with her husband and twelve children. It brought back memories to see Betty in the same charming ensemble she had worn to the senior supper fifteen short years ago. Her adorable little children were dressed in attractive outfits made of their mother's former school clothes.

Misses Mabel Turner and Alice Martinez were conspicuous by their absence. While returning from a trip to Florida, they wired that complications had arisen and they were stranded in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Miss Clare Mowers, looking well-preserved for her age, was there escorted by Lt. Lawrence. Clare is doing charity work for the government but refuses to disclose the actual nature of her employment.

Miss Lorraine McCready, who is recognized as the world's most accomplished danseuse, favored the guests with one of her own specialties.

Sergeant Betty Lee Hall was present in uniform. During the serious shortage of men following the war, Betty Lee answered her call to duty by joining the San Francisco Police Department. She is now one of the most valued members on the force.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brazelton celebrated the class reunion and their tenth wedding anniversary jointly. Mary Helen and Eugene are now living on their 10,000 acre estate just north of Vacaville.



# More Prophecy

Mrs. John Gonzales, the former Rose Marie Codina, had torn herself away from her large national chain of grocery stores in order to be with us for a few short hours.

Miss Virgie Harris looked sweet and petite in the hat check booth. A regular patron was heard to remark that she seldom gave anyone the wrong hat.

Jane Ellasces and Carmen Fernandez, now known so well as The Burlesque Queens, were there attired in a great many more clothes than they are accustomed to wearing.

Miss Rose Cintas was at the dinner accompanied by three of her prize students. Rose is now a teacher in Rock Cave Country School. She had brought her students with her in order to show them how the rest of the world lives.

At 1 a. m. the room was suddenly hushed, and every one looked approvingly at a tall slender blonde dressed in a slinky black satin formal—Erna Tershuren, of course. Erna has been voted the favorite pin-up girl of the Marines and is now under contract to Metro-Goldwyn Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Papin, the former Bettie Cline, drove down from their estate in Dead Horse Valley. Everyone would have been delighted to have them at the dinner if it hadn't been for the loud crying of the triplets Nickey, Vickey, and Wickey.

Greta has deserted her former profession of teaching and is now famous as a wrestler. Greta is known to her numerous admirers as "Muscles Neil." At the dinner Greta wore her wrestling togs and maroon-colored robe with "Champ" written across the front.

Miss Marcelle Campardon had just returned from France where she has been studying for the past 14 years. Marcelle said she hoped to finish her course soon.

Mr. Bo Williams arrived in a plastic top limousine chauffeured by Mercedes Cintas—in private life, Mrs. Ed. Shelton. Bo is a theatrical producer and brought several of his actresses with him to the reunion. Mercedes has hopes of breaking into the show business. She firmly believes working from the bottom up.

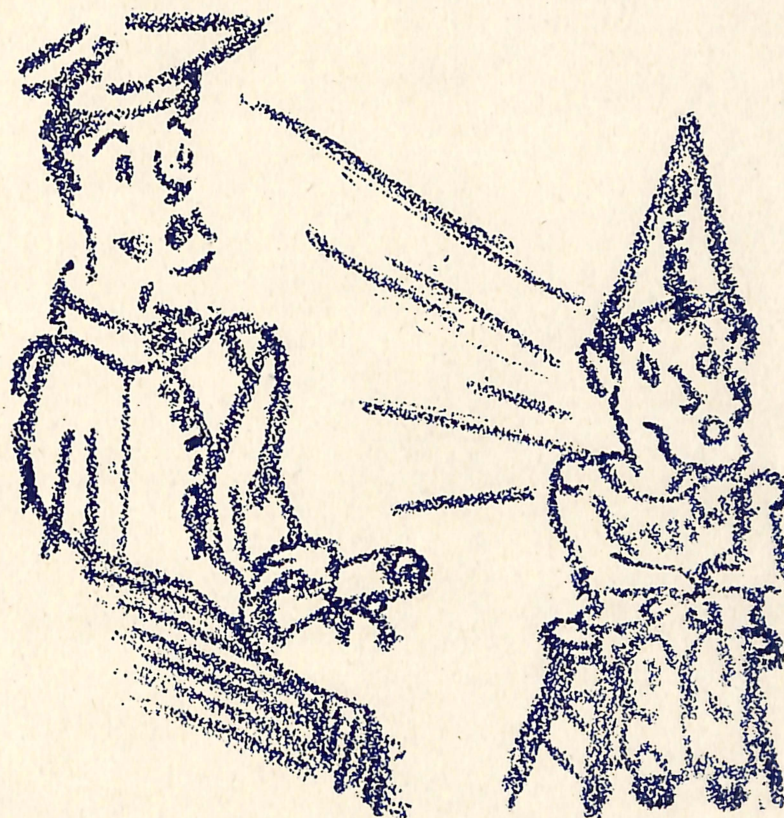
Arlene Franklin Gooch Cambell Mills entertained her friends at the table by telling of her adventures through Europe. Arlene is traveling on the generous alimony which she receives from her many ex-husbands.

Dale Cannon now has a dangerous job in the Jones Boys' Circus. He is the Human Cannon Ball. Dale loves to tell how he is shot through a cannon at least 20 times a day.

Mrs. Wallace Brazelton, the former Virginia Olander, informed us that she has been drawing cartoons for Walt Disney in her spare time. She leaves the twins in their father's care most of the time.

The class presented Mr. Mundy with a champion pig just before the group adjourned to meet again in 1960.





# CLASSES









**Top Row:** Borges, Cline, Damiano, Perez, Rico, Dulaney, Baron, Fernandez, Moreno, Holmes, Campos, Fong. **Second Row:** Boyle, Jickling, Mills, Raper, Carrillo, Barraza, Ross, Campardon, Williams, Pritchett, Perry. **3rd Row:** Contreras, Lorenzo, Bera, Pulido, Nofuentes, Green, Shank, Steele, Hargis, Pyshora. **Bottom Row:** McCrory, Penney, Bagley, Chandler, Perry, Kirk, George, Allen, Anderson, Piner.

## *Juniors*

Fall	OFFICERS	Spring
FRANK PRITCHETT.....	PRESIDENT.....	BARBARA ALLEN
JOE CAMPOS.....	VICE PRESIDENT.....	FRED KIRK
WILLIAM ESTEPA.....	SECRETARY.....	CHARLOTTE GEORGE
SUNDY BERA.....	TREASURER.....	SUNDY BERA
ALBERT DAMIANO.....	SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.....	AL DAMIANO
MISS PINER.....	ADVISOR.....	MISS PINER

Hot dog and pop sale—at Esparto game. Sale not profitable—pop stolen.

Friday night dance—December 3—usual good time.

Sock Dance—January 18. Present at dance were loud socks, patched socks, holey socks, short socks, long socks, baggy socks.

April Fool—Junior Prom—big success. Decorations beautiful—white streamers from blue spotlight in center formed circular dome over gymnasium floor. Plenty of lemonade left at end of dance—lack of paper cups sent dancers swarming to drinking fountains.





Top Row: Tortosa, Rodriguez, Dito, Cheechov, Azuar, Jiminez, Hilden, Dommer, Campos, Shanks, Altieri, Ramos, Mar. Second Row: Lee, Paolini, Low, Papin, Damitz, Williams, Wiebe, Groulx, Turner, McCready, Stein, Aguilera. Third Row: Leonard, Pena, Jepson, Woodcock, Boyle, Williams, Pyshora, Brown, Escano, Coles. Bottom Row: Staggs, Oliver, Gojkovich, Hargis, Powell, Krossa, Groulx, Rogers, Bruegmann.

## Sophomores

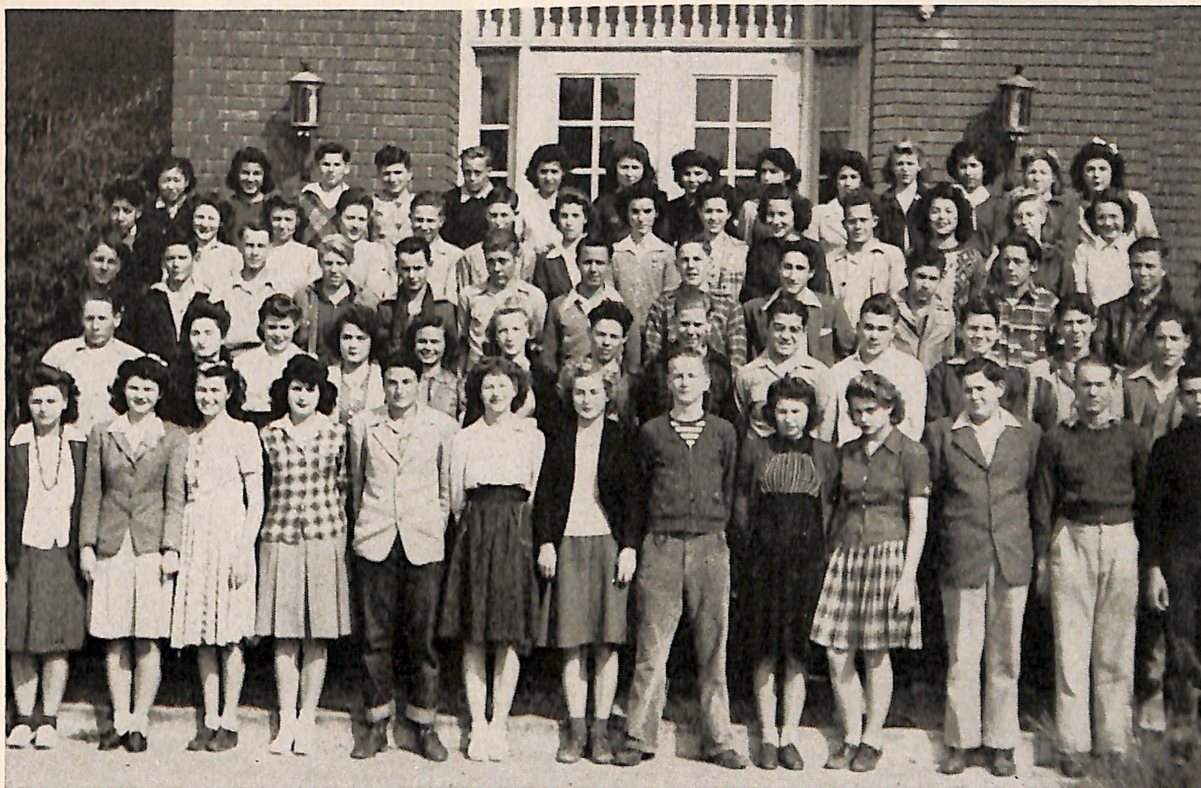
Fall	OFFICERS	Spring
RAYMOND WOODCOCK.....	PRESIDENT.....	BLANCHARD ROGERS
BLANCHARD ROGERS.....	VICE PRESIDENT.....	JOHN GOJKOVICH
SHIRLEY HILBERG.....	SECRETARY.....	ISABEL TORTOSA
GRETCHEN GARLICH.....	TREASURER.....	GRETCHEN GARLICH
JOHN GOJKOVICH.....	SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.....	KENNETH STAGGS
MRS. LEE.....	ADVISOR.....	MRS. LEE

Freshman Reception—October 15—Dancing and games, root beer floats for refreshments.

Sophomore Hop—Semi-formal—Hot dogs and soda pop for refreshments. Gym cleverly decorated as a night club with tables arranged around the dance floor.

Vice-Versa Dance—February 8—Same refreshments as at the Hop. Class added \$40 to the treasury. Class rings—ordered in March. Will arrive in time to wear during junior year. June 7—Vacation! Hurrah!





**Top Row:** Fong, Borges, Wagner, Ramos, Blackwell, Rico, Estepa, Castro, Rago, Vasquez, Blomquist, Contreras, Walker, Pulido. **Second Row:** Mejia, Galbraith, Willeford, Penney, Papin, Keller, Perez, Puerto, Patterson, Paolini, Day, Ramos, Kirk, Morrill. **Third Row:** Workman, Corzine, Rusfeldt, Damitz, Salsman, Hopper, Anderson, Holshevnikoff, Lopez, J. C. Altieri, Pike, Humphrey. **Fourth Row:** Brownwood, Ellascas, Rogers, Espinosa, Gnos, Franklin, O'Dair, Emmington, Lorenzo, Cripps, Jenkins, Molina, Nuevo. **Bottom Row:** Constant, Soriakoff, Wilder, Albacete, Bera, Hawk, West, Nulk, Knapp, Wiley, Burton, Riehl, Lopez, Jr.

## Freshmen

Fall	OFFICERS	Spring
MIKE PAPIN .....	PRESIDENT .....	HENRY BERA
TONY GONZALES .....	VICE PRESIDENT .....	TONY GONZALES
ZANA WILLEFORD .....	SECRETARY .....	ZANA WILLEFORD
CHARLES NULK .....	TREASURER .....	CHARLES NULK
TONY GONZALES .....	SERGEANT-AT-ARMS .....	JOHN C. LOPEZ
A. BOBLET .....	ADVISOR .....	A. BOBLET

Return Party—Refreshments served were homemade cakes and ice cream.

Hot Dog Sale—Sold over 10 dozen hot dogs. Girls of the class handled the work.

Barn Dance—Gym decorated with bales of hay, harness, wagons, and loose hay. A large crowd was in attendance. Everyone apparently had a most enjoyable evening, dancing part of the time minus shoes, pushing bales of hay around, playing crack-the-whip, etc. Hot dogs and soda water were served as refreshments.





In the mood?



Pep Club



Charles & Susan



Varsity



My class



Debs?



Twins



How's the view?



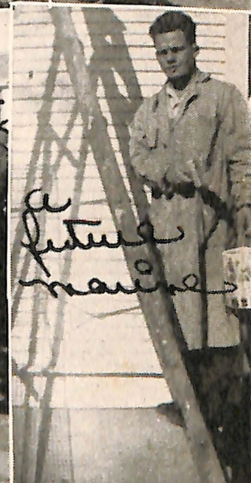
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Glamorous Guy



a future marine



La fiesta



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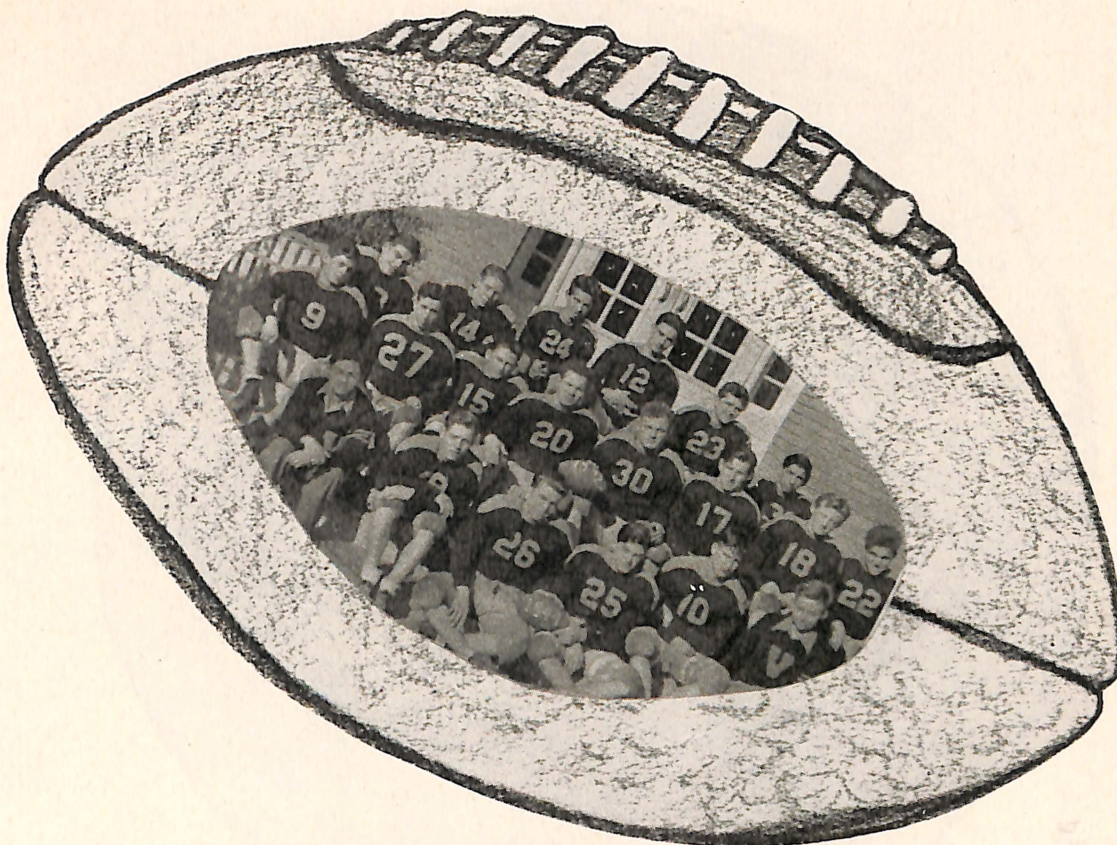


**SPORTS**









**Top Row:** J. Lorenzo, Brownwood, Hargis, Chandler, Pritchett, Barraza. **Row Two:** C. Day, Contreras, Gojkovich, Bagley, Bo Williams, Penney, Wilburn, Rogers. **Front Row:** Fong, Kirk, T. Williams, Nash, M. Perry, Lowney.

## Football

"Football is good training for future citizens because it develops the ability to make fast decisions during crisis and physical strain," said Coach Elwood Mitchell to the thirty-five boys who started out for football last fall.

Bo Williams, Vernon Bagley, Vic Lorenzo, Don Wilburn, William Estepa, and Martin Markiewitz were returning as letter men from last season. Five others, Tom Williams, John Contreras, John Gojkovich, Frank Pritchett, and Marshall Perry had the much needed experience and additional size and speed that one year brings. Letters were awarded at the end of the season to Vernon Bagley, Vic Lorenzo, Fred Kirk, William Estepa, Martin Markiewitz, Don Wilburn, Charles Nash, Bo Williams, R. J. Penney, John Gojkovich, John Contreras, Stanley Brownwood, Marshall Perry, Tom Williams, and to Trent D. Lowney and Num Fong, managers.

Weight, passers, and runners were abundant in the back field. The line consisted chiefly of a light but ever-charging offensive and defensive. The team was probably the best balanced Vacaville has had for several seasons.

The 1944 schedule and scores: Vacaville 0, Vallejo 8; Vacaville 12, Benicia 0; Vacaville 0, Rio Vista 18; Vacaville 12, Armijo 0; Vacaville 18, Dixon 0; Vacaville 7, Davis 31; Vacaville 14, Esparto 18.





#### A TEAM

Coach Williams, Bagley, Nash, Chandler, M. Perry, S. Bera, Penney, Pulido, Nofuentes, Wilburn.

#### C TEAM

Borges, Damitz, R. Perry, Coach Williams, C. Lopez, Papin, Wagner, Ramos, Carrillo, Aguilera, Nulk, Weiße, Moreno, White.

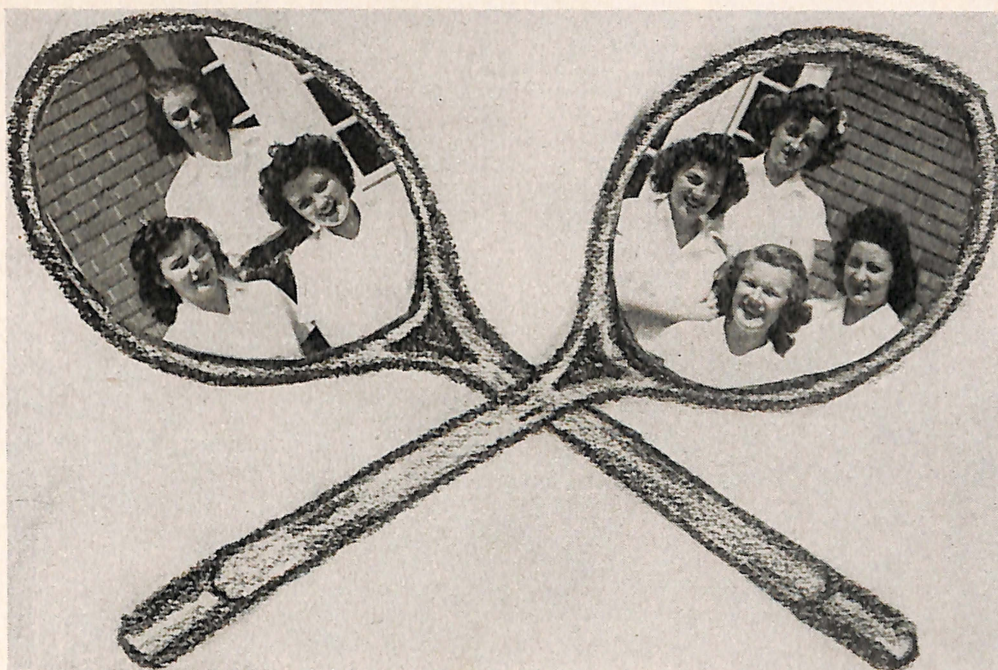
#### B TEAM

H. Bera, Lorenzo, Coles, Coach Williams, Lopez, Rogers, Williams, E. Gonzales, Woodcock, Kirk, Damiano.

## Basketball

Opponents	Scores	High man per game		Opponents	Scores	Opponents	Scores	High man
Armijo—A Team	32-22	S. Bera	Pulido	Napa	24-23	Dixon	38-23	S. Bera
Vallejo	23-37	S. Bera	S. Bera	Chinese	56-45	Winters	45-17	S. Bera
Winters	37-21	S. Bera	S. Bera	Rio Vista	26-28	Napa	29-19	S. Bera
Benicia	45-28	S. Bera	S. Bera	Dixon	42-28	Armijo	30-27	S. Bera
Rio Vista	23-20	Wilburn	S. Bera	Armijo	43-20	Benicia	44-32	M. Perry
Rio Vista	27-36	S. Bera	S. Bera	*Season's high scorer with 242 points				
Armijo-B Team	19-34	Damiano	Damiano	Napa	21-34	Dixon	32-17	Damiano
Vallejo	26-22	Damiano	Damiano	Chinese	47-32	Winters	26-19	Gonzales
Winters	40-26	Gonzales	Gonzales	Rio Vista	26-18	Napa	34-36	Damiano
Benicia	40-34	Damiano	Damiano	Dixon	40-14	Armijo	49-16	Gonzales
Rio Vista	43-20	Damiano	Damiano	Armijo	17-25	Benicia	31-33	Gonzales, Kirk
Armijo	27-24	Damiano	Damiano*	Davis	31-39	*Season's high scorer with 210 points		
Napa—C Team	16-15	Aguilera	Aguilera	Winters	29-11	Winters	26-11	Aguilera, Moreno
Rio Vista	20-18	Moreno	Moreno, Ag.	Napa	19-24	Benicia	38-3	Papin
Armijo	20-16	Aguilera	Aguilera	Rio Vista	28-15	Armijo	22-19	R. Perry, Aguilera
Benicia	48-15	Aguilera	Aguilera*	*Season's high scorer with 105 points				





MARY HELEN POWER  
BETTY LEE HALL  
CLARE MOWERS

GRETA NEIL  
MARCELLE CAMPARDON  
JANE ELLASCES  
BETTY PRICE

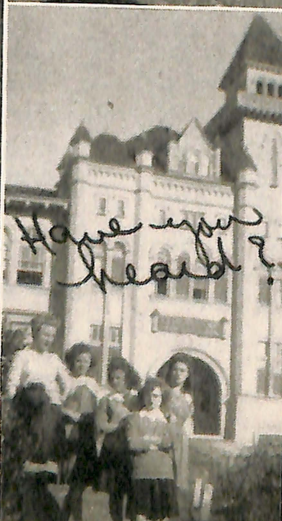
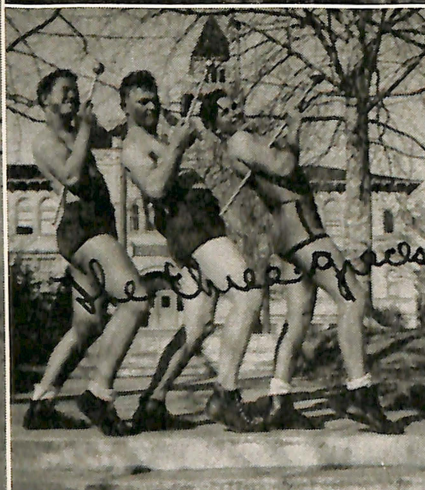
## *Badminton*

For three consecutive years, the girls of the class of 1944 have been the undefeated badminton champions of the school. This year in the preliminaries, which determined between which classes the final game would be played, the sophomores defeated the freshmen, and the ever-victorious seniors defeated the juniors. The outcome of the championship game between the sophomores and the seniors was a complete victory for the seniors, who won all three of the games played in the final series.

Besides badminton, the other two girls' sports which occupied the major part of the school year were basketball and pingpong. The seniors, as they had done so often before, won both championships.

After the volleyball season was over, the remainder of the spring semester was spent on out-of-door sports, chiefly tennis, archery and softball.









# ACTIVITIES









Top Row: Betty Lee Hall, Joe Lopez, Clare Mowers, Esther Anderson, Erna Tershuren. Second Row: Arlene Franklin, Greta Neil, Nancy Chandler, Betty Price, Louise Hilden, Virginia Olander, Lorraine McCready. Third Row: Mrs. Nelson, Mercedes Cintas, Marcelle Compardon, Mary Helen Power, Dale Cannon, Bettie Cline, Mr. Mundy.

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The sending of this yearbook to press is the culmination of the efforts of the Ulatis Staff and the faculty advisors, Mrs. Nelson, Mr. Mundy and Mr. Boblet.

The staff hopes that this issue of the Ulatis will hold for the rest of the students, as well as for the seniors, the record of many happy memories of the year 1943-44 in Vacaville Union High School.



# Senior Play

In "Miss Jimmy," the senior play for 1944, Don Wilburn as Jimmy was forced by his fraternity brothers to enter a girls' dormitory in search of a dress to wear in an initiation stunt. At the same time the girls (Erna Tershuren as Louise, Mary Helen Power as Florence, Marcelle Campardon as Catherine, Bettie Cline as Doris, and Greta Neil as Harriet), finding it difficult to get dates for their big dance of the year with anyone but brothers, cousins, and uncles, capture Jimmy and decide to make his fraternity brothers escort them to the ball by holding Jimmy for ransom. The girls had a time to keep Jimmy hidden from Professor Frazier (Joe Lopez) and Dean Watkins (Betty Lee Hall). The girls admired Jimmy and tried to win him but he tried to escape by posing as "Miss Jimmy" in Louise's dress. Of course, the clever professor penetrated Jimmy's disguise, but Miss Watkins, fearing a scandal, was able to hush things. In the end, Jimmy asked Louise to the ball and got a fraternity brother for each of the girls.

Dale Cannon as Droopy, the colored man of all work, was the hit of the evening. The entire cast was well chosen and all played their parts with the ease of experienced actors. The play was coached by Miss Kilpatrick and was a decided success.







Top Row: Wagner, Campos, Papin, Borges, Rodriguez, Mejia, Contreras, Rago, Reigle, Cline, Estepa, Cintas, Rico, Cline, Azuar. Row Two: Oliver, Fernandez, Holmes, Shank, Galbraith, Jimenez, Penney, Perez, Patterson, Day, Ramos, E. Paolini, F. Paolini, Kirk. Row Three: Emmington, Lowney, Workman, Altieri, M. Hopper, T. Boyle, Morrill, Williams, Puerto, Weibe, Holshevnikoff, Mar, Jenkins, Williams, Day. Row Four: Nuevo, Turner, Leonard, Hilberg, George, Rogers, Segura, Constant, Ellascas, Campardon, Cannon, Woodcock, Kirk, Nofuentes. Row Five: Crampton, Franklin, Cintas, Shank, Soriakoff, Albacete, Hawk, Garlich, C. George Petross, Neil, Wilburn, Hoover, Burton, Ross. Last Row: Mrs. Nelson, Hilden, Price, Campardon, Allen, Pena, Power, Hall, Jepson, Gonzales, Lorenzo, Bera, Riehl.

## Junior Red Cross

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PRESIDENT.....	MARY HELEN POWER
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ADVISOR.....	MRS. E. D. NELSON

The activities of Junior Red Cross this year were centered chiefly around the needs of the armed forces.

For Ragsdale Field, the Juniors made nut cups and favors for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Popcorn strings and 150 ornaments for eight trees were collected and sent to the Field before Christmas.

The Juniors made 100 pad and pencil sets, 48 writing portfolios, 48 writing pads, 50 ash trays, 100 bound stories, 200 cartoon and joke books, 48 hot water bottle covers, 300 crossword puzzles, 36 bed pan covers, 12 card table covers, 12 fracture pillows, 100 wash cloths, 200 greeting cards, cribbage boards, lap-boards, ring toss games and checkerboards. These articles were sent to headquarters in San Francisco for distribution among the service men in Alaska and the Pacific Area.

The Juniors held a turkey raffle in December and a Leap Year dance on January 26 to make money to buy supplies.

Easter gifts were sent to the children at Weimar Sanitarium, and Christmas gifts went to local children.



# Student Council



**Spring Council:** Williams, Kirk, Rogers, S. Bera, H. Bera, Williams. **Second Row:** Power, Damiano, Cannon, Allen, Wilburn. **Bottom Row:** Cline, Cline, Y. Campardon, M. Campardon, Hurlbut.

**Fall Council:** Williams, Pritchett, Wilburn, Bera, Williams. **Second Row:** Power, Papin, Campos, Cannon, Woodcock, Hurlbut. **Bottom Row:** Cline, Cline, Y. Campardon, M. Campardon, Hall.



The Student Council is organized for the purpose of governing the Student Body. It is made up of the student body officers, the presidents of the classes, and of the organizations in school.

The Student Council acts as a clearing house for all business before it is presented to the Student Body for action. The Council authorizes payment of all bills and plans school activities.

The Council recommends the making of awards in boys' sports, including the perpetual trophy which is awarded to the best all-round senior athlete, awards in football, basketball, track, and baseball.

This year, the Council undertook few activities because of the restrictions the war has brought. Finances have been the best since 1934.



# G. A. A.

Although G. A. A. play days with other schools have ceased, there still remains a good spirit of competition among the classes of our own school. To take the place of play days, the girls have formed a "Pep Squad" to foster school spirit at games. To get new students and freshmen interested in girls' activities, G. A. A. members ordered sweaters this year for the first time. The sweaters are worn in the picture below.

**G. A. A.**  
**Top Row:** Perez, Harris, Azuar, Fernandez, Rico, Codina, Cintas, Cline, Rodriguez. **Second Row:** Hall, Jepsen, Paolini, Campos, Baron, Ellasces, Campardon. **Third Row:** Power, Allen, Tershuren, Pyshora, Price, Steele, McCreedy, Ramos, Pena, Boyle.



**OLYMPIA**  
**Top Row:** Mrs. Lee, Tershuren, Fernandez. **Second Row:** Campardon, Fernandez, Allen, Power, Harris. **Bottom Row:** Codina, Cintas, Boyle, Baron, Ellasces, Hall.

Olympia was organized in 1936 by the best girl athletes in school for girls with standards as high as their own. For the past eight years, initiations into this organization have been held once a semester. Traditionally, the number of members admitted each year has been limited. Only a few girls are ever able to meet the requirements. This year the two formal initiations brought the membership at the end of the year to a total of fifteen, the largest membership in any one year.



# Band

## CLARINETS

Joe Campos  
Charles Nulk  
Mervyn Wagner  
John C. Lopez

## BARITONES

Charles McCrory  
Charles Nash

## TRUMPETS

Frank Pritchett  
Willie Estepa  
Morey Coles  
Wayne O'Dair  
Marshall Perry  
Mary Segura  
Virgie Harris

## FRENCH HORN

Victor Holshevnikoff

## TROMBONES

Tom Williams  
Vernon Bagley  
Ernest Oliver

## BASS

Brewster Chandler  
Goram Anderson



## BAND

Top Row: Frank Pritchett, Johnny Lopez, Charles Nulk, R. J. Penney, Mr. Record, Marshall Perry, Victor Holshevnikoff, Joe Campos. Second Row: Julian Ramos, Mervyn Wagner. Third Row: Morey Coles, Wayne O'Dair, Mary Segura, Virginia Olander, Charles Nash, Charles Lee McCrory. Front Row: Tommy Williams, Vernon Bagley, Ernest Oliver, Goram Anderson, Brewster Chandler.

## SWING BAND

Top Row: Noland Bagley, Vernon Bagley, Tom Williams, Bob Damiano, Willie Estepa, Frank Pritchett, Morey Coles, Mr. Record. Second Row: John Lopez, Joe Campos, Bill Solenberger.



# Swing Band

During summer vacation the Top Hatters gave dances on Saturday nights to raise funds to buy music. They played for the opening of Hospitality House and at the U. S. O. in Rio Vista. On New Year's Eve they gave a dance at the Spanish Ball Room.

In January, the departure of William Estepa (Harry James II) for the army, was a dark cloud on the horizon of the band, and with the induction of its leader, Robert Damiano '43, into the army in the spring, the group disbanded.



# Block "V"

PRESIDENT.....DALE CANNON      SECRETARY.....VIC LORENZO  
 VICE-PRESIDENT.....DON WILBURN      TREASURER.....VERNON BAGLEY  
 ADVISOR.....MR. WILLIAMS

All boys who have earned a block letter in any sports on the A, B, or C teams are eligible to membership in the Block V Society.

Because the officers elected at the end of the term last year did not return to school, Block V was late in getting organized. The outstanding event of the year was a pot luck supper in February. The supper was followed by a dance.

## BLOCK V

Top Row: T. Lowney, N. Fong, F. Pritchett, T. Williams. Row Two: M. Coles, J. Lopez, J. Campos, A. Damiano. Row Three: T. Aguilera, F. Kirk, M. No-fuentes, S. Bera. Row Four: M. Perry, C. Nash, T. Pulido, J. Contreras, R. J. Penney. Row Five: V. Bagley, Bo Williams, D. Wilburn, C. Hoover.



## HILLTOP RUMBLE

Top Row: E. Anderson, D. Wilburn, B. Allen, A. Franklin, E. Tershuren, B. S. Steele, T. Williams. Row Two: C. Mowers, J. Raper, B. Bartell, N. Fong, V. Jickling, E. Paolini, D. Paolini. Row Three: J. Moreno, P. Holmes, D. Fernandez, A. Perez, C. Fernandez, Mrs. Hurlbut.

# Hilltop Rumble

The Hilltop Rumble, published once every two weeks and edited the first semester by Clare Mowers and the second semester by Dorothy Fernandez, has done an excellent job of keeping its many enthusiastic readers well informed on the various school activities. The proceeds from the Hilltop Rumble, approximately \$18.50 per issue, go into the Benefit Fund.



# Home Economics

The Home Economics Club aims are to develop interest in home economics, to develop social life, to foster high ideals, and to promote the appreciation of home life.

The Club started this year with an enrollment of fifty-five members. To join, one must have taken one year of home economics in the past or be enrolled in the current course. In December the Club gave the annual dinner for the F.F.A. boys, seventy attending. The Club also baked cookies and worked for Junior Red Cross.



## HOME ECONOMICS

**Top Row:** Knapp, Ellasces, Hawk, Albacete, Neil, Cintas, Franklin, George, Rogers, Escano, Harris. **Row Three:** Wiley, Espinosa, Paolini, Patterson, Hilberg, Jepsen, Morrill, Ramos, Campos, Cheechov, Perez. **Row Two:** Fernandez, Vasquez, Borges, Pena, Penney, Jiminez, Dulaney, Estepa, Azuar, Castro, Galbraith. **Front Row:** Cline, Cline, Campardon, Ellasces, Baron, Cintas, Codina, Rodriguez, Miss Piner.

## FUTURE FARMERS

**Top Row:** Groulx, Johnson, Ramos, Bera, Phillips, Pyshora, Hargis, Hopper, Hopper, Blackwell. **Row Three:** Workman, Damitz, Riehl, Olander, Groulx, Gajkovich, Staggs, Bruegmann, Nuevo. **Row Two:** Papin, Altieri, Damitz, Ramos, Dommer, Lowe, Papin, Brownwood, Altieri. **Front Row:** Mr. Mundy, Anderson, Oliver, Williams, Groft, Contreras, Bera.



# Future Farmers

Total war has affected the Future Farmers' organization in many ways. High prices, high wages, and shortages of machinery, gas and help have created new problems. F. F. A. members have aided in the war effort materially by working on farms in the community, by producing food on home projects and in victory gardens, and by collecting salvage.

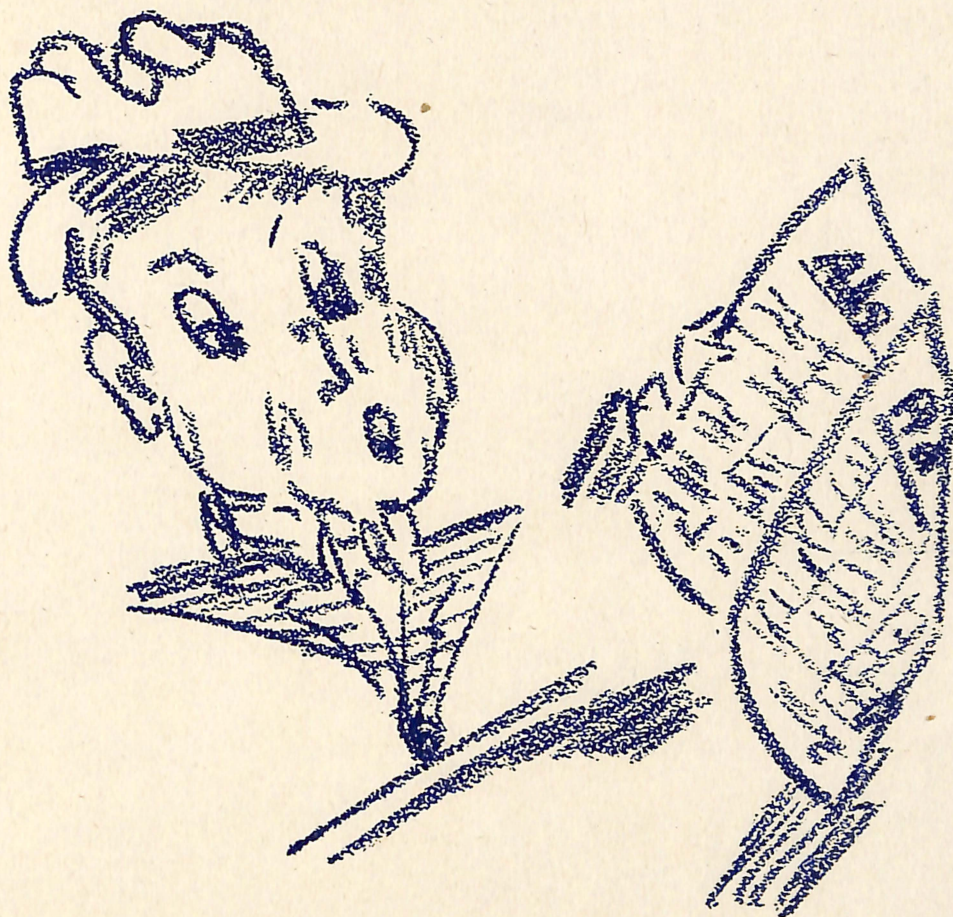












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